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WORK FOR THE IDLE

British Liberals Propose Vast
Employment Plan.

BOARD OF TRADE SCHEME

Winston Churchill, Its President,
Says That the Details Have
Been Developed.



Winston Spencer Churchill.

LONDON, January 13.—A big scheme of unemployment insurance will be the work of the new liberal government if returned to power. Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, outlined the scheme in the course of a speech at Glasgow last night, when he addressed two huge meetings.

Mr. Churchill announced that the details of the scheme already had been worked out by the board of trade, and said if the people granted the money the house of commons would pass a compulsory and contributory unemployment insurance bill which would deal with the affairs of upward of 2,250,000 adult workers, skilled and unskilled alike. The ship-building engineering and allied trades would first come under consideration, while side by side with the scheme facilities would be extended for voluntary insurance aided by the state. The new plan would be carried on in conjunction with 150 labor exchanges, which were soon to be opened throughout the kingdom. These exchanges, Mr. Churchill said, would give labor a scientific market and the advantages which modern civilization had conferred on all classes. The insurance plan would improve and standardize labor and would equally benefit the employer and artisan.

Chancellor Lloyd-George, at Wolverhampton, evidently referring to the same scheme, said that he had put \$15,000,000 in the budget to deal with unemployment, whereas his opponents were trying to maintain a land system which was more responsible for unemployment than any single cause. He urged the necessity of taking wheat from wherever it could be obtained. "Don't let us," he said, "slam the door in the teeth of Providence and say we won't take it."

Balfour on Home Rule.

With an eye to the possibility of the nationalists holding the balance of power in the new parliament, A. J. Balfour, the opposition leader, speaking at York, glided gently over the home rule problem. He said it was a subject requiring the attention of all students of politics, one of the greatest problems ever put before the country. Yet it was brought forward by the liberals as an unconsidered item and as an unconsidered scheme of legislation. The premier had said just enough to make the nationalists struggle for the return of the radical party and had not devoted either the time or the attention which the subject required.

Referring to tariff reform, Mr. Balfour repeated that the tariff party was pledged not to increase the cost of food to the poor. He thought that a small duty off wheat, with preference to the colonies, would diminish, rather than increase, the cost of bread.

Premier Criticizes Balfour.

The prime minister at Salisbury last night dealt with the humor of a situation in which Mr. Balfour criticized omissions in the premier's election address, whereas Mr. Balfour's own election manifesto gave only a brief paragraph to the subject of tariff reform, and he added, although the country was within two days of the election, it was left in darkness concerning Mr. Balfour's views on tariff reform.

The feature of the campaign is the great attention devoted in the newspapers of the rival parties to the comparative cost of living in Great Britain, Germany and the United States. Columns of figures and statistics are given daily for the purpose of supporting or denouncing, as the case may be, the policy of tariff reform.

Election meetings still are the scenes of considerable disorder. One at Brentwood last night culminated in a riot, in which many persons were injured.

BAKING COMPANY IN TROUBLE.

Receiver Named for Firor Corporation by Justice Barnard.

Justice Barnard has appointed Walter A. Johnston receiver of the assets of the Firor Baking Company of No. 2122 L street northwest. The company also conducted stands at the dime markets. Mr. Johnston's bond was fixed at \$10,000.

The appointment is based on the petition of Morris J. Doebereiner, a creditor, who says the company is indebted to the extent of \$18,000, and that Frank M. Firor, president of the company, is in a sanatorium near Laurel, Md., and has, it is alleged, abandoned the business.

President Firor in an answer admits the indebtedness and declares his absence from the business is caused by illness. He consented to the appointment of the receiver.

Attorney G. L. Whitford appears for the creditor.

Food Prices and Exports.

To the Editor of The Star:

The rise in price of food products is attributed to the supply not being equal to the demand. Inasmuch as millions of dollars' worth of these products are annually exported, thus diminishing the supply at home, why not pass a law limiting the amount of such exports, so that there will be no excuse for constantly increasing prices on the home markets? Prosperity in this country seems to be confined to certain classes. The man who has to work for his living is far from prosperous. In fact, there seems to be a good chance of his becoming a complete bankrupt. We will surely have a peasant class in this country if some improvement does not take place shortly. It is evident that a drastic change in the Constitution is necessary to cure some of our ills.

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We offer you a choice of our entire stock of Fancy Mixed Winter-weight Trousers, in fine fancy cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, at the following sacrifice prices:

\$2.40 Trousers for . . .	\$1.95
\$3.40 Trousers for . . .	\$2.35
\$5.00 Trousers for . . .	\$3.95
\$6.00 Trousers for . . .	\$4.45
\$7.50 Trousers for . . .	\$5.45
\$9.00 Trousers for . . .	\$5.95
\$10.00 Trousers for . . .	\$6.95

15 Terry BATH ROBES—
small sizes. Sold Regularly
for \$3.50 and \$5.
To close now
at **\$1.35**

20 SMOKING JACKETS—
sizes 34, 35, 36, 38 and 44.
Worth \$5, \$7.50,
\$10 and \$12.50.
To close at **\$3.50**

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BOYS' SUITS REDUCED.

Boys' Knickerbocker and Knee Pants
Suits, in plain and fancy fabrics, that
sold for \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50. Reduced
to **\$1.95**

Boys' Knickerbocker and Knee Pants
Suits, snappy styles; plain and fancy
fabrics. Worth \$5, \$6 and \$7.50. Reduced
to **\$2.95**

BOYS' LONG PANTS SUITS

Reduced to \$5. (Second floor.)

Big lot of broken sizes in Boys' Long
Pants Suits; snappy styles left from
this season's \$7.50 and \$9.75 lines. Re-
duced to **\$5**

Boys' Fancy Suits.

Boys' Russian Blouse and Sailor Suits, that show slight signs
of handling. Reduced from \$5, \$6, \$7.50 and \$9 to **\$3.95**

Boys' Overcoats.

Boys' Plain and Fancy Overcoats—small lots from regular
\$7.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50 lines. Reduced to **\$5.00**

Boys' Raincoats.

Small lot of Boys' Raincoats and Spring-weight Overcoats,
that sold for \$5, \$6 and \$7.50. Reduced to **\$3.50**

Boys' Knee Pants.

Small lot of Boys' Plain and Fancy Knee Pants, that sold for
\$1 and \$1.50. Reduced to **45c**

Boys' Reefers.

10 Boys' Reefers, in plain and fancy fabrics. Reduced from
\$7.50 and \$10 to **\$4.95**

Boys' Furnishings

Reduced.

Boys' Four-in-Hand Ties;
slightly soiled. Reduced from
25c to **10c**

Boys' White Waists, plain
and pleated; broken sizes.
Reduced from 30c to **17c**

Boys' Fancy Blouse Waists;
broken sizes. Reduced from
25c and 30c to **15c**

Boys' White Shirts; soiled
from handling; small sizes
only. Reduced from 50c to **15c**

Boys' Collars; regular and cape
styles; slightly soiled. Re-
duced from 10c and 15c to,
each **3c**

Odds and ends of Boys' Un-
derwear; heavy and medium
weight. Reduced from 25c,
30c and 50c to **10c**

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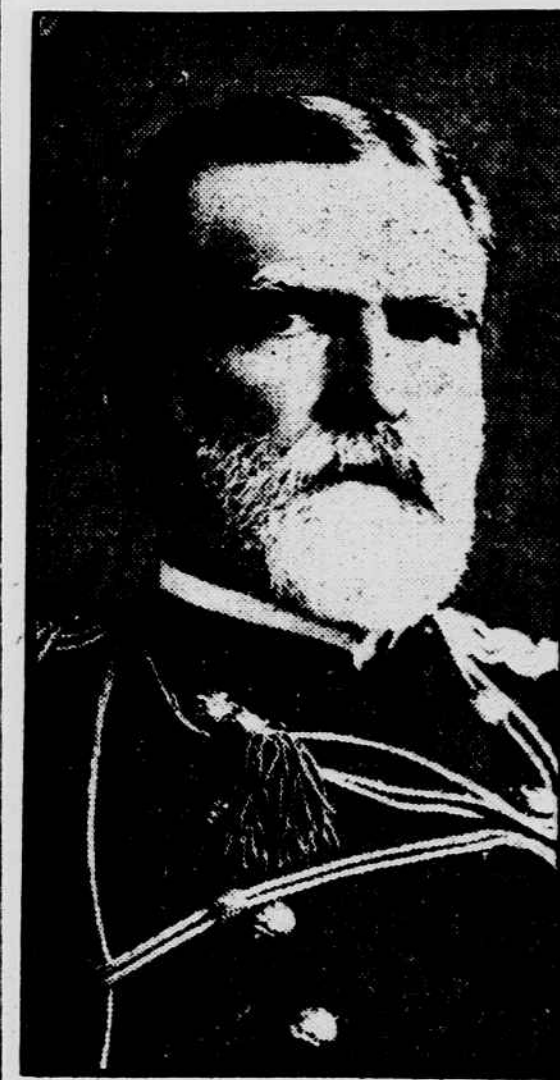
Seventh Street.

GEN. BATES IS ELECTED

CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF NA- TIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

Invited to Send a Team to Argentine

Centennial Celebration—Ac-
knowledgment of Aid Given.



Gen. J. C. Bates.

Robert Bacon, American ambassador to France, was elected a benefactor, and Secretary Meyer of the navy a patron, and both honorary directors for life of the National Rifle Association of America at the annual meeting here last night of the organization. Secretary of War Dickinson and Lieut. Gen. John C. Bates, U. S. A., retired, also were elected honorary life directors. Last year a deficit in the revenues of the association was made good by Secretary Meyer and this year by Mr. Bacon.

The report of the secretary showed that

there are now affiliated with the association 22 state associations, 87 regiments, 53 separate military establishments, 81 civilian rifle clubs, 18 college and 56 schoolboy clubs. He announced an increase of 37 new life members and 156 annual members.

Invited to Buenos Aires.

An invitation has been received from the Argentine Republic, just reported to have the association send a team to Buenos Aires to compete in an international shooting tournament to be held there in connection with their centennial in May, all the expenses of the team to be paid by Argentina. The first prize in the individual match is to be \$5,000.

A resolution was passed endorsing the bill now pending in Congress providing for the encouragement among the citizens and youth of the United States of rifle practice. Another resolution favored the payment by the government of the expenses of the teams attending the national matches.

Officers Elected.

New officers of the association were elected last night, as follows:

President, Lieut. Gen. John C. Bates, U. S. A., retired; first vice president, Brig. Gen. Lawrenson Riggs, Maryland; second vice president, J. M. Dickinson, Secretary of War; third vice president, Brig. Gen. George H. Harries, District of Columbia; treasurer, Brig. Gen. Carl A. Wagner, Michigan; secretary, Lieut. Albert S. Jones, New Jersey (tentative); members of executive committee, Brig. Gen. William T. McGurkin, Michigan; Brig. Gen. James A. Drain, Washington; and Lieut. Col. Thomas Talbot, Massachusetts.

The following resolutions were passed at the meeting of the board of directors last night:

"That the annual matches of the association for 1910 be held at the same place as the national matches conducted by the government, and just prior to the national matches, the entry fees in said matches to be returned to the competitors in the shape of cash prizes, and that the matches be conducted by the executive officer and officers and men of the regular service sent to conduct the national matches."

HEAVY RAIN TONIGHT.

Weather Bureau Sees Harbinger in
Flicker of Snow.

The flicker of snow that fell in this city just before noon today is the harbinger of a heavy fall of rain tonight and perhaps a part of tomorrow was the statement made by Forecaster Garriott of the weather bureau. The minimum temperature at 8 o'clock this morning was 34, just two degrees above the freezing point. The mercury will continue above that figure tonight, it is predicted. Telegraphic reports received by Prof. Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather service, today tell of general precipita-

OLD GUARD ELECTS.

Armed Escort of G. A. R. Depart-
ment Chooses Officers.

The Old Guard, composed of veteran soldiers of the civil war, and known as the armed escort of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., has elected civic officers to serve in 1910. They are: A. M. Lewis, recording secretary; Theodore F. Brown, financial secretary; A. J. Gunning, treasurer; executive committee, M. M. Lewis, B. F. Graham, J. P. Collins, A. C. Brust, J. E. McCabe, Dr. Thomas Calver, W. H. Hoover, Henry Exley and John Middleton; court-martial committee, Dr. Thomas Calver, chairman; Daniel Williams, John Middleton, Henry Exley, A. D. Shaw; board of trustees, B. F. Graham, J. P. Collins and T. F. Brown.

The officers of the Old Guard were reported by Adj. M. M. Lewis to be in a flourishing condition.

To Complete Organization.

The National Anti-Food Trust League will meet Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Arlington Hotel to complete its organization and elect officers and members of the advisory council of seven, one of whom must be a woman.

R. J. Martin of South Hill, Va., and Miss Mary V. Anthony, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Anthony of Wye Mills, were married.

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1 lot 7.6x10.6.....	\$12.50	9x12.....	\$45.00	2.3x9.....	\$6.00
1 lot 9x12.....	\$15.00		\$31.50	2.3x10.6.....	\$7.00
				2.3x12.....	\$8.00
				3x9 ft.....	\$8.00
				3x10.6.....	\$9.00
				3x12.....	\$10.50
					\$8.50
Brussels Rugs.		Velvet Rugs.		Carpet Samples.	
Regular price.	Clearance price.	Regular price.	Clearance price.	1 lot Brussels.....	35c
1 lot 9x12.....	\$16.00	36x72.....	\$4.00	1 lot Velvet.....	50c
1 lot 9x12.....	\$18.00	9x12.....	\$18.00	1 lot Axminsters.....	75c
1 lot 9x12.....	\$22.50	9x12.....	\$16.50	1 lot Wilton.....	\$1.50
		9x12.....	\$18.00	1 yard to 3 yards long.	
Axminster Rugs.		Stock Rugs.		Linoleums.	
Regular price.	Clearance price.	Regular price.	Clearance price.	Regular price.	Clearance price.
27x52 in.....	\$2.50	1 Axminster Rug.	\$25.00	Linoleums.....	60c
36x72 in.....	\$5.00	9x10.6.....	\$15.00	Linoleums.....	45c
1 lot 4.6x6.6.....	\$8.50	1 Axminster Rug.	\$13.50	Linoleums.....	75c
1 lot 6x9.....	\$16.50	8.3x9.3.....	\$13.50		
1 lot 8.3x10.6.....	\$25.00	1 Velvet Rug.	\$17.50		
1 lot 9x12.....	\$27.50	8.3x11.8.....	\$30.00		
		1 Axminster Rug.	\$25.00		
		9x15.2.....	\$36.00		
		1 Velvet Rug.	\$14.50		
		8.3x11.....	\$22.50		
		1 Brussels Rug.	\$17.50		
		8.3x12.6.....	\$22.50		
Wilton Rugs.		1 Lot Axminster Rugs.		Brussels Carpets.	
Regular price.	Clearance price.	Regular price.	Clearance price.	1 lot Brussels Carpets, from	5 to 40 yards. Reduced from
27x54.....	\$3.50	2 9x12.....	\$18.50	75c and 85c to 47½c.	
		2 9x12.....	\$19.75	1 lot Velvet Carpets, from	5 to 30 yards. Reduced from
		2 9x12.....	\$20.00	90c and \$1.00 to 62½c.	
		3 9x12.....	\$21.50	1 lot Velvet Carpets, from	5 to 30 yards. Reduced from
				\$1.00 and \$1.15 to 67½c.	
				1 lot Velvet Carpets, from	5 to 30 yards. Reduced from
				\$1.25 to 82½c.	
French Wilton Rugs.		Seamless Axminster Rugs.		1 lot Axminster Carpets,	from 5 to 20 yards. Reduced
Regular price.	Clearance price.	Regular price.	Clearance price.	from \$1.35 to 92½c.	
27x54 in.....	\$6.00	9x12.....	\$32.50		
8.3x10.6.....	\$5.00		\$21.50		
9x12.....	\$6.00				
Wilton Rugs.					
Regular price.	Clearance price.				
9x12.....	\$40.00				
9x12.....	\$42.50				
9x12.....	\$45.00				

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READING CIRCLE MEETS.

Mission Work in Spain Discussed at
Yesterday's Meeting.

The Reading Circle Mission Study Class of Metropolitan Methodist Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, met yester-

day afternoon at Mount Pleasant with Mrs. George H. La Fetra. Mrs. J. M. Holmes, superintendent, presided. The mission work in Spain was discussed at length. Mrs. B. A. Collona gave the map lesson and geography of Spain, after which Mrs. L. H. Tilton read a paper on "Catholicism in Spain." Mrs. S. D. La Fetra spoke on "Noted

Women of Spain," while Mrs. E. C. Swan took for her subject "John Huss." Mrs. J. C. Hartzell discussed "Mission Work in Jerusalem."

John W. Keith, son of Mrs. Mollie I. Keith, and Miss Elva M. Bishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bishop, were married at Hayden, Md.